

Random Draws

Before registering, please consult the random draw brochure. By registering, you agree to the terms and conditions found in the current year's brochure. You can also refer to the moose stay guide or the deer stay guide.

This is a random draw, so there is no advantage to registering as soon as possible, so take time to think about your choices and priorities. Check out the hunting plans and statistics.

Terms and conditions of the random draws

- Only one registration per hunter per registration code (code types: ORLAXX, CVPLXX).
- The cost of \$8.83 per registration code (including taxes) is non-refundable.
- Registration only through Sépaq's website or by phone, with payment to be made by credit card. Your credit card number and expiry date must be indicated. Registration for the random draw is completed only after confirmation of payment by the credit card issuer.
- Hunting packages obtained by random draw are in the name of the "winner" (group leader), who is in charge of the group and cannot transfer responsibility for the stay to another group member; other hunters cannot hunt without the presence of the group leader ("package winner").
- For hunting in wildlife reserves, a substitute group leader must be designated, but not for Anticosti.
- The order of preference is very important. A participant can only be a winner for one registration code, so registration forms lower in the order of preference will at best be in the waiting list when a priority form has been declared "a winner."
- The waiting list groups several registration codes together, giving you more choice.
- In the event of an error in the administrative processing of a registration form or in the draw, your sole remedy as a participant will be a refund of your registration fee.
- We advise you to keep your form number(s).
- Your registration(s) must be completed by January 15, 2024.

How to register

- On the random draws home page, select the draw you would like to register for.
- Check off the desired registration code(s) on the electronic form and click on Continue. Only one registration is accepted per registration code. You can indicate your order of preference further along during the registration process.
- If you've selected more than one registration code, please indicate your order of preference. Slide your choices in the desired order then click on Continue. If you're declared a "winner" for more than one registration code, you'll be allotted a booking priority rank in this order of preference.
- You must enter your hunter's certificate number (8 embossed characters), last name, first name, and birth date as indicated on your hunter's certificate.
- If you see the message "Your hunter's certificate validation has failed", please start again and make sure to enter the information as indicated on your hunter's certificate. If the same message appears, please contact the Ministère de l'Environnement, de la Lutte contre les changements climatiques, de la Faune et des Parcs at 1 844 523-6738 from Monday to Friday between 8:30 a.m. and noon and between 1 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. to verify the information about your hunter's certificate.
- Once your payment is approved by the financial institution, the transaction ends with a confirmation notice showing the registration form(s) number(s). We recommend that you to keep your form number(s).
- Please note that at no time, a special hunting license delivered by random draw and issued specifically for a zone, a zec or a wildlife reserve, can be modified, transferred or canceled.
- If you have any questions after registration, please contact us at tirageausort@sepaq.com before January 15, 2024.

Forestry work

Forestry work is permitted in wildlife reserves, under the aegis of the Ministère des Ressources naturelles et des Forêts. Sépaq does everything in its power to ensure that its activities coexist harmoniously with those of other forest users, including the forest community. In fact, certain agreements have been reached with loggers so as to be informed of their projects in advance, in order to minimize any inconvenience to our customers. It is possible that logging companies may carry out work in your hunting sector without notifying Sépaq. Hunting sectors are large enough to allow hunters to proceed with their activities away from operations related to the harvesting of non-wildlife natural resources and trapping that may take place there. No claim for refund or compensation will be accepted in the event of such a situation or activity in your hunting sector.

Indigenous presence

Sépaq does everything in its power to ensure that its activities coexist harmoniously with those of other forest users, including members of Indigenous communities. However, our organization does not have the authority to manage the traditional activities of Indigenous people, nor to prohibit their access to the territory. No claim for refund or compensation will be accepted in the event of such a situation or activity in your hunting sector

Substitution terms and conditions

The substitute is the only person who will be authorized to replace the group leader in the event that the group leader cannot be present during the stay. The substitute cannot be changed after registration has been completed. It is strongly recommended to appoint one of the group members as a substitute.

Please note that the substitute is not authorized to make any changes to the group's booking, nor will the substitute be contacted during the calling of winners in the event that the group leader is not able to proceed with choosing the stay.

Group leader substitution rules

A group leader substitution is authorized only under these three circumstances:

1. Death of the group leader or of an immediate family member;
 2. Summons to a court of law;
 3. **Unexpected** medical reason (no professional or school-related reasons will be accepted).
- In all cases of substitutions, official documents (death certificate of the group leader, subpoena with notice of receipt, or original doctor's note) must accompany the request.
 - All substitution requests must be submitted by the group leader at least seven business days before the beginning of the stay, whenever possible.
 - The only person authorized to be a substitute for the group leader is the individual designated on the registration form at the time of booking.
 - The substitute's name and the valid hunter's certificate number indicated at the time of the booking cannot be changed after registration has been completed.
 - A group leader or a substitute cannot book more than one moose or white-tailed deer hunting stay at Sépaq wildlife reserves.
 - The substitute for a group leader who is the holder of a hunting package identified as "60 years of age or older" must also be 60 years of age or older.